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June 3, 2002

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF

(SR-6J)

Mr. Steven D. Smith  
Solutia, Inc.  
P.O. Box 66760  
St. Louis, Missouri 63166-6760

RE: Approval - RI/FS Support Sampling Plan  
Sauget Area 2 Site - St. Clair County, Illinois

Dear Mr. Smith:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed the review of the revised pages to the RI/FS Support Sampling Plan (SSP) for the Sauget Area 2 Site submitted by Solutia on May 20<sup>th</sup> and via fax (pg. 11-13) during the week of May 27. The revised pages have adequately address all of U.S. EPA's May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2002, comments. Pursuant to Section 2.2 of the November 24, 2000, Administrative Order on Consent, U.S. EPA approves the RI/FS Support Sampling Plan for the Sauget Area 2 Site.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or the enclosure, please feel free to call me at (312) 886-4592.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Ribordy".

Mike Ribordy  
Remedial Project Manager  
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